

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 484

By DuBois

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Anne Goethe, 2007
Valedictorian of Columbia Central High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Anne Goethe is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2007 graduating class at Columbia Central High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Anne Goethe has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, she has earned an exemplary 3.98 grade point average, while participating in a number of extracurricular activities, including the Beta Club, which she served as President, National Honor Society which she served as Chaplain, Junior Classical League, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Mu Alpha Theta, Swim Team, Key Club, Pride-TV, which she served as News Director, and Senior Video Committee; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to accolades, Ms. Goethe is the recipient of a number of notable awards and recognitions, including the Beta Club Merit Award, the Latin, History, and Advanced Placement Departmental Awards, the UTC Chancellor's Scholarship, Tennessee Lottery Scholarship, Valedictorian Scholarship, and AP Scholar Award; she is listed in the *Who's Who Among American High School Students* and is a Girls State Delegate; and

WHEREAS, Anne Goethe's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success as a student at the University of Tennessee at Chattanooga; and

WHEREAS, Anne's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Jeffrey and Renee Goethe, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Anne Goethe's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2007 Columbia Central High School Valedictorian, Anne Goethe, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.